

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 14 and amend claims 1-13 to read as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) In a device for the absorption and the examination of voided urine, in the form of a measuring cell, which comprises at least one inflow opening, a plurality of indicators arranged on an indicator holder and at least one viewing window creating a transparent area, through which the indicators can be seen, ~~the improvement~~ wherein the indicators are arranged on a side bordering the viewing window of an indicator holder, and wherein a liquid transporting means, suitable for the transport of liquids due to its capillary action, ~~wraps the indicator holder at the end of the inflow opening~~ extends from the inflow opening to the indicator holder and is connected with at least one area of one indicator wherein the improvement comprises:

the liquid transporting means wraps the indicator holder and is connected with an area of each indicator on the side bordering the viewing window.

2. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein a swelling material is placed between the indicator holder and the inflow opening.

3. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 2, wherein the swelling material is a swelling cushion made of swelling foil.

4. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 3, wherein the swelling cushion is lined with a film and the film is provided with an inflow opening, and wherein the inflow openings, the measuring cell and the swelling cushion are placed directly one behind the other.

5. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein the liquid transporting means reaches the area of the inflow opening.

6. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein the liquid transporting means wraps around the back side of the indicator holder.

7. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1 2, wherein the liquid transporting means is part of the swelling material.

8. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein the liquid transporting means is foil paper.

9. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein the liquid transporting means is a material made of ~~non-cellulose~~ non-cellulose material.

10. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein the liquid transporting means is impregnated with indoxylester to improve the detection of the leukocyte quantity pro volume, such that due to the higher concentration of indoxylester, more indoxyl is released with a consequent darker and qualitatively more meaningful coloration of the indicators.

11. (Currently Amended) Device The device according to claim 1, wherein the liquid transporting means is prepared with substances which positively affect ~~the~~ a reaction

process of the indicators with regard to color
stabilization, and sensitivity, ~~and the foil's features.~~

12. (Currently Amended) ~~Device~~ The device according to
claim 1, further comprising conveying bands of different
width arranged on the liquid transporting means to control
the quantity of the urine in such a way that the various
indicators can receive a quantity of test liquid necessary
to ensure perfect functionality.

13. (Currently Amended) ~~Device~~ The device according to
claim 1, wherein the measuring cell is made of PP-foil.

14. (Canceled).